

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

THE INDEPENDENT 50 cents per month.

Today was the regular Board of Health meeting day.

Morgan will hold an auction sale of furniture tomorrow.

The San Francisco police have not yet given any news of Taylor, the missing commissioner of agriculture.

There are nearly 100,000 bags of sugar at the various ports on Kaula awaiting shipment to Honolulu.

The schooner Forest Home, Captain Elverson, will probably get away from here, for San Francisco, by Sunday next.

The concert, given by the Band at Palama last evening, was very well attended, the mild weather giving added inducement for a large audience.

The colored man, Lewis Samuels, cook of the Forest Home, who was supposed to have been accidentally drowned is now thought to have intentionally "skipped" from his job.

James K Hakuole, former official Japanese interpreter and translator has been appointed by Collector Chamberlain to a lucrative position in the local Internal Revenue bureau.

By the steamer Mauna Loa news has been received that the volcano of Kilauea is showing signs of renewed activity. Probably to give an exhibition to the new landlord of the Volcano House.

The Janet Waldorf company are billed to arrive here from the Orient by the steamer American Maru on the 10th inst. The company will appear in a series of performances at the Opera House.

Colonel Thomas Fitch has all of his law books boxed up and a portion of them have already been shipped away. The Colonel is making preparations to take his own departure on the steamer Korea.

The Public Works department has time, money and material, in such superfluity that the streets are being repaved in spots where horses generally stand. No heed is paid to the street crossings for pedestrians.

The jurors who made affidavits to conversations in re B Haywood Wright were, very properly "turned down" by Judge De Bolt. Wright was sentenced to three years at hard labor but, appeal being noted he is at present out on bail of \$5,000.

The band will give one of the popular open-air concert, by the beach at Waikiki, this evening, commencing at 7 o'clock. The Moana hotel will be the band-stand and it is very probable that, but for the Lenten season, the "light fantastic" would be indulged in.

Becky K Kaai, a well-known resident, died at her home in this city on Monday last and her funeral took place from the undertaking parlors of H H Williams yesterday afternoon. The deceased lady was about 40 years of age and was quite prominent in court circles during the reign of King Kalakaua.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Inter Island S N Co, yesterday, the following gentlemen were elected as officers: president, J A Kennedy; vice-president, J L McLean; treasurer, N E Gedge; secretary, Chas H Clapp; auditor, A W T Bottomley. The directors are Hon G N Wilcox, W O Smith, A Drier, J M Dowsett, C M Cooke, H A Leenberg.

The Weather

Weather Bureau, Punahou 2 p m. Wind light S to S E. Weather part cloudy; some signs of rain.

Minimum temperature, morning: 58. Maximum temperature, 76; mid-day, 80; 80-83; rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 9 a m 0.1; dew point, 58; humidity, 70; per cent.

CURTIS J LYONS
Observer.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Second Session of the Territorial Law Making Body of 1903.

THE SENATE—THIRTEENTH DAY.

After the usual routine business, petitions and resolutions came on.

Cecil Brown, from Printing committee, reported several bills printed and ready for distribution. He also, from Judiciary committee, reported on Bills 25 and 40, recommending their passage. Adopted.

Baldwin, from Ways and Means committee, recommended the tabling three bills, viz: No. 27, to regulate sales of merchandise; No. 28, repeal of internal taxes, and No. 28, relating to exemptions. Adopted.

The same committee favored the passage of Bill No. 29, relating to public loans. Adopted.

From Judiciary committee; to pass Bill No. 14, relating to Government holidays, also Bill No. 5, repealing the Bailiff act. Adopted.

Achi offered a resolution requesting the Health and Education committee to investigate why a liquor license was refused the Occidental Hotel. Carried.

Several bills were read on second reading and referred to committees. At 12:05 adjournment was taken.

THE HOUSE—THIRTEENTH DAY.

Met at the usual hour. Regular business was proceeded with.

A communication from Secretary Carter relative to the resolution for a supply of Civil and Penal Laws. He said that he will gladly do all in his power to secure them.

It was unfortunate that the edition was exhausted before he took office. Would see if Departments have them, and if not, should the House desire it, he will advertise if any copies could be got and then inform the House of the prices at which they may be got.

Vida said that he was informed to reprint the Codes again, it would take six weeks or more and cost from \$1,000 to \$1,200.

The Speaker instructed the clerk to advertise for them.

A message from the Senate, notifying the House of the passage of two bills, (1) No 16, relating to the licensing of the brewing and sale of malt liquors; and (2) No 18, relating to regulating the employment of labor on Public works. Both passed first reading by title.

From the Brotherhood of Boiler Makers and "Iron Ship Builders of America" desiring to amend an act already introduced, relating to the appointment of a Boiler Inspector. Consideration deferred to be considered with bill on the subject.

Chillingworth read a petition from Maui school teachers protesting against the incorporation of the school system under counties, and that the same be kept out of politics. Ruled out of order.

Fernandez presented a petition from Almaloa Homesteaders, Hamakua, for the completion of the Government road leading to these homesteads. To Public Lands.

Wright introduced two communications from the Republican club, 7th precinct, 2nd District (Hilo), offering certain suggestions in the educational system and in the election of magistrates by counties. Committed.

Lewis, from Public Lands offered majority and minority reports. The majority recommended the insertion of several items asked for by resolutions and petitions, reducing some and referring one to the Education. It recommended disallowance of \$500 for the replacement of the Kamehameha statue at Kohala. The minority (Wright) concurred with the report, excepting the statue matter, which he recommends passage. Tabled for consideration with Appropriation Bill.

Paele offered two resolutions asking for funds. Ruled out.

Several acts were introduced, notices of which had already been given; all passed first reading by title.

Vida gave notice to introduce an act to permit baseball and other

athletic games on Sunday. Referred. A report from the Judiciary committee was read by Andrade.

Fernandez offered a resolution that the committee on Accounts pay the following rates: Translating, 75 cents per folio; typewriting, 25 cents per page; proof-reading, 25 cents per folio, and printing \$1.50 per page.

Harris opposed and offered an amendment: translating, 50 cents per folio, typewriting, 12½ cents per page, and printing with proof-reading included, \$1.50. He understood that that was all that has been done.

Kumslae moved the resolution pass and stated that the work of translating was being done by a competent lawyer.

Greenwell, as one of the Printing committee, was much put out, as this had come up without his being consulted.

The Speaker said that it was introduced by Fernandez as a member at large of the House and not that of a committee.

Resolution finally referred to Printing committee.

Third reading of Bill 84, relating to the Hawaiian flag as the Territorial flag, came up under the Order of the day.

Passed third reading, 21 ayes and 7 noes.

Adjourned at 12:10 till tomorrow, to allow Committees to get to work.

Have Visited the Sick

The following named ladies of the Fruit and Flower Mission, have taken flowers, fruit, etc, to the Incurable Hospital during the past year; Mrs Du Roi, Mrs George Klugel, Mrs Whithers, Mrs Mackintosh, Mrs George Carter, Mrs Noonan, Mrs Herbert, Miss Jones, Mrs Pope Howett, Miss Susan, Mrs T C Davies, Mrs Stackable. The Queen's Hospital has had flowers taken every week by Miss Luce, Mrs A F Judd, Miss Hartwell, Miss Paty, Miss Soper, Miss Dayton, Miss Catton, Mrs Paine, Miss Kopke, and Miss Annie Parke. The organization is deserving the attention of the public and donations in fruits or flowers may be left with any of the members or the newly elected officers viz: president, Mrs E W Jordan; vice president, Mrs A F Judd; secretary, Mrs G F Davies; treasurer, Miss Von Holt; auditor, Mr E W Jordan.

Just 201 gamblers were captured in a daylight raid by deputy Chillingworth this afternoon at a resort near the corner of Beretania and Smith streets. There were no escapes, detective McDuffee and driver Tom Morrissey affording safe conduct for all to the Police station.

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